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For: RECORDING MEDIUM AND SYSTEM FOR RECORDING AND REPRODUCING  
THE RECORDING MEDIUM

☒ Specification (29 pages)

☒ 8 sheets of drawings

☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney

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|        | \$345 |
| x 9 =  |       |
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| +130 = |       |
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